

Alexandria Gazette

WEATHER REPORT

Partly Cloudy Tonight and
Wednesday. Not Much Change
in Temperature.
High tide—2:58 a. m. and 3:20
p. m.
Sun rises 4:36 Sun Sets 7:26.

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ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA, TUESDAY, JUNE 22, 1915.

PRICE, 2 CENTS.

ANTI-FRANK RIOTS BROUGHT TO CLOSE

Georgia Authorities Now
Have Complete Control of
Situation.

WORST TROUBLE OVER

Citizens of Valdosta Subscribing One
Dollar Each for Monument to Pen-
cil Factory Victim.

Atlanta, June 22.—Georgia's citi-
zen's soldiery today is in control of
the situation growing out of the com-
mutation of the sentence of Leo M.
Frank.

A battalion of the Fifth Regiment
after dispersing all demonstrations
in the vicinity of Governor Slaton's
home, has been re-enforced by another
battalion and the governor's horse
guards.

The sheriff has control of the sit-
uation about the State farm where
Frank is confined.

The remainder of the Fifth Regi-
ment is being held in reserve in the
armory ready for any service that
may be required.

Atlanta officials have taken the ut-
most precautions to prevent any fur-
ther demonstrations in the city. All
of the city police are on duty. They
have been instructed to keep all per-
sons moving and to arrest all intoxi-
cated persons on sight.

Although it is believed that the
worst of the trouble is over here,
reports of violence pour in from var-
ious sections of the State. Despite
this all beer saloons and clubs here
were allowed to be reopened today.

At Newman effigies of Governor
Slaton were burned.

At Marietta, home of Mary Phag-
on of whose murder Frank was convicted,
and at Woodstock, effigies of the
governor were hanged.

At Valdosta citizens are subscrib-
ing a dollar apiece to a fund for "a
monument for little Mary Phagan."

Atlanta, Ga., June 22.—With sev-
eral hundred men and boys clamoring
to get into his front gates which had
been barricaded by barbed wire en-
tanglements, crying "We want Geo-
rgia's traitor governor," and threat-
ening to overpower the twenty coun-
ty policemen armed with riot guns,
Governor Slaton called out the en-
tire Fifth regiment of State militia
late last night to protect his home.

Upon arrival of four companies of
State guardsmen, which had been
held under arms and rushed to the
governor's country home in automo-
biles, he proclaimed martial law in a
district extending half a mile in
front of his home, half a mile back
and for a distance of about a quar-
ter of a mile on either side.

Last night's demonstration was a
sequel to the action of the governor
in commuting to life imprisonment
the death sentence imposed on Leo
Frank, accused of killing Mary Pha-
gan.

When the soldiers lined up with
fixed bayonets to disperse the crowd
stones, bricks and bottles were
thrown at them.

The commanding officer, Major
Catron, was struck by a stone as
were several of the men.

The governor proclaimed law at
exactly 11 o'clock, and by midnight
the crowd had practically been dis-
persed. There was no firing.

In Marietta yesterday afternoon
the governor was burned in effigy.

Frank began his life sentence yester-
day at the State prison farm in
Milledgeville as convict No. 963. He
donned the striped prison garb as
the working day commenced, and to-
day will commence work in the cot-
ton field.

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and cream at the prevailing prices
paid for the articles in the raw state.
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aph street. Bell phone 52. Home
phone 4. Deliveries started at 4:00
a. m.

REVIEW TO CAMINETTI

Supreme Court Will Reconsider Its
Decision in the White
Slave Case.

Washington, June 22.—Reversing
its own action of a week ago, the
Supreme Court yesterday decided to
review the conviction of F. Drew
Caminetti, of San Francisco, facing
prison sentence for violation of the
white slave law. At the same time
it agreed to review the conviction of
Maury I. Diggs, found guilty with
Caminetti in the sensational cases
which attracted countrywide atten-
tion two years ago.

The cases will be the first in
which the Supreme Court has re-
viewed a white slave law prosecution
where it was contended that the law
did not apply to prosecutions which
failed to show evidence of the ailment
of commercialized vice.

Caminetti, son of the commis-
sioner general of immigration, faces
a fine of \$1,500 and eighteen months'
imprisonment in San Quentin. Diggs,
formerly architect for the State of
California, was fined \$2,000, and sen-
tenced to two years in prison.

Attention was focused on these
cases when John L. McNab, United
States attorney at San Francisco, re-
signed and in an open letter to Presi-
dent Wilson, charged that political
influence was being brought to bear
on Attorney General McReynolds to
keep the cases from trial. In the
controversy which followed Secretary
Wilson, of the Department of Labor,
the immigration commissioner's
chief, figured. President Wilson
closed the incident by appointing a
special prosecutor.

CLEARED OF MURDER.

Texas Was Accused of Helping
Kill Anti-Catholic Lecturer.

Marshall, Texas, June 22.—Frank
O'Leary, one of five Marshall men
indicted for the murder here Febru-
ary 3, 1915, of William Black, an an-
ti-Catholic lecturer, was acquitted in
District Court here yesterday on an
instructed verdict. The State had
previously sought dismissal of the
case on the ground that there was not
sufficient evidence to convict O'Leary.
The defense insisted on a formal ac-
quittal by a jury. O'Leary was not
called on to make a statement.

John Copeland, George Ryan,
George Tjer, and Harry Winn are the
other men indicted in connection with
the killing. The dates for their
trials have not been fixed.

O'Leary was not present at the
shooting, according to testimony at
the examining trials last winter. The
calling of his case first appeared to
be due to a desire to approach cau-
tiously the legal aspects of the
shooting, which attracted wide at-
tention.

The night before he was killed
Black had delivered a lecture in
Marshall entitled "Roumanism, a
Menace to Civilization." He was to
lecture again that night. Marshall
had been stirred by hand-bill adver-
tising of Black's work. Black, 45
years of age, born in Virginia and
said to bear kinship to Gen. Robert
E. Lee's family, was advertised, as
"one who knows."

About supper time Black went to
his hotel room, where he was joined
by the other members of his party,
Clarence F. Hall, of St. Paul, Minn.,
and Miss Sadie Black, a girl Black
had adopted at her home in Arkansas
a few days previously. Three Mar-
shall men, John Rogers, John Cope-
land and George Ryan, called on
the Black party. They asked Black
not to deliver his second lecture.
Black replied he would deliver it.

Shooting began and Black was
shot near the heart and killed. Rogers
also was killed and Copeland was
shot three times.

LAWN PARTY

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"GRANDFATHER" CLAUSE INVALID

Supreme Court Overrules
Statute Applying to
Two States.

WILL AFFECT OTHERS

Restriction of Negro Vote Receives
Death Blow in Decision of Supreme
Tribunal.

In two opinions read by Chief Jus-
tice White yesterday the Supreme
Court declared that the so-called
"grandfather clause" test for voters
prescribed by an amendment to the
constitution of the State of Okla-
homa and a statute in the State of
Maryland were invalid because they
were repugnant to the fifteenth
amendment of the Federal Constitu-
tion.

Nearly every Southern State had
prescribed this test for electors which
has operated in most cases to dis-
franchise a large percentage of the
negro voters. The amendment to the
Oklahoma constitution prescribed
an educational test as well, and the
court held that this was a valid enact-
ment when standing alone, but that
being associated with the grandfather
clause enactment the whole amend-
ment was void, as the two were not
separable.

The objectionable amendment to the
Oklahoma constitution was as fol-
lows:

"No person shall be registered as
an elector of this State or be al-
lowed to vote in any election herein,
unless he be able to read and write
any section of the constitution of
the State of Oklahoma; but no per-
son who was, on January 1, 1866,
or at any time prior thereto, entitled
to vote under any form of govern-
ment, or who at that time resided in
a foreign nation, and no lineal de-
scendant of such person shall be de-
nied the right to register and vote
because of his inability to read and
write sections of such constitution."

Under this amendment the election
officers of Oklahoma refused to reg-
ister negro voters who were the line-
al descendants of persons in slavery
or disfranchised prior to January 1,
1866. The date applied in this test
was characterized by the Supreme
Court as not a matter of "necrom-
ancy." The State of Maryland se-
lected a date about two years later,
but still antedating the adoption of
the fifteenth amendment guarant-
eeing equal disfranchisement to males over
21 years of age.

HORRORS OF SANATORIUMS

Suicide and Madness Common Among
Kaiser's Troops

Paris, June 21.—A neutral writer
who traveled lately in Germany de-
scribes a visit to one of the numerous
sanatoriums for nervous cases. He
points out that nervous troubles,
suicide and madness are much more
frequent among the Kaiser's troops
than among any other army. The corre-
spondent was shown over the sanatorium
at Eberswalde. He says:

"It was terrible; a vision from
Dante's Inferno. Here are patients
who suffer from occipital cramp. It
they do not die in twenty four hours
they recover, but recovery is slow.
Seventy-five per cent of those affected
are nonsmokers."

"Many patients sit silent and de-
pressed, with fixed, unseeing stare,
suffering from temporary paralysis
of the optic nerve; others foam at
the mouth, curse God, the Emperor
and the Fatherland, gesticulate as far
as the straight waistcoat permits
them; others with ghastly grins imi-
tate the whistle of shells and clamor
of machine guns. Even when they
seem cured a suggestion of a return
to the front provokes a violent
return of the worst symptoms."

"Many such sanatoriums have been
established throughout Germany. Such
nervous diseases principally affect the
intellectual officers and the flower
of the German troops."

STATE TO PAY \$75,000

Virginia Responsible for One-Half
the Costs in West Virginia
Debt Matter.

(Special Dispatch to the Gazette.)
Richmond, June 22.—The receipt
of the text of the opinion of the Su-
preme Court in the West Virginia
debt matter today disclosed that Vir-
ginia is required to pay one-half the
costs of the litigation. The estima-
ted total is \$75,000. This is declared
to be quite an unusual provision. Vir-
ginia's part of the costs will be as-
sessed to the bondholders.

"CITY OF THE GREAT KING"

Reorganization of Palestine as Jew-
ish State Will be Theme of
Surpassing Interest.

New York, June 21.—The posses-
sion of Palestine, after the close of
the European war, and its organiza-
tion as a Jewish state, with ancient
Jerusalem as the capital, is an am-
bition which will be seriously con-
sidered at a great conference of Jew-
ish organizations of the United
States which will open in Boston next
Friday and continue for a week.

Palestine, it is estimated, can ac-
commodate a population of 6,000,000.
With the establishment of new polit-
ical control of the Holy Land it is
purposed that Jews shall migrate
there from Russia, Germany, Austria,
and other European states. Thus, the
leaders of the movement argue, a so-
lution will have been found for the
old Jewish problem. Not only will
Jewdom have its own land, but an
end will be brought to the discrimi-
nation against its children in many
existing countries.

Partly as a result of the Zionist
movement, initiated several years ago
many wealthy Americans Jews have
already made investments in Palest-
ine. Jews in this city own a large
tract of land in the neighborhood of
Hahin. St. Louis Jews have bought
800 acres near the shores of the Sea
of Galilee. Chicago capitalists con-
trol territory adjacent to Cana, where
the ancient religious feast formerly
was held. A vast tract in the vicinity
of Joppa is in the hands of Jews; liv-
ing in Winnipeg, while Jews of Pitts-
burgh and Cleveland own 1,800 acres
near Amadgeddon.

The investment of foreign capital
has resulted in a marked improve-
ment in the physical features of
Palestine. Until a few years ago the
country was a treeless region, with
much desert land. The ground has
been rendered productive with soil
formerly considered barren yielding
great wheat crops. It is argued that
nearly every acre from the sea on
the west to the River Euphrates on
the east, including the whole of
Syria, and a portion of Mesopotamia
may be made to blossom.

American financial intervention
has resulted, too, in the transforma-
tion of some of the cities. Damascus
for instance, now has a street rail-
way system to serve its 150,000 res-
idents, and banks and industrial in-
stitutions have been established.

PALACE HIT BY BOMBS.

Queen And Royal Family Have Nar-
row Escape.

Berlin, June 21.—Queen Victoria,
of Sweden, and the family of Prince
Maximilian of Baden, narrowly es-
caped injury from bombs dropped by
French aviators in the raid on Karls-
ruhe, according to the Overseas News
Agency, which says an official state-
ment has been issued concerning the
attack on Baden's capital.

One bomb struck the roof of the
castle above the bedroom occupied by
the Prince's children and another ex-
ploded above the chamber of a Swed-
ish lady in waiting, Baroness Hochs-
child, the statement asserts. One of
the occupants of the castle at the
time of the raid was the Dowager
Duchess of Baden, an aunt of Em-
peror William.

The German military authorities
declare, the news agency asserts,
that heretofore German airships and
aeroplanes have bombarded only
places of military importance, ex-
cept on occasions when it has been
stated explicitly the raids were in
retaliation for attacks by the Allies
upon open towns.

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OPINION DOES NOT AFFECT VIRGINIA

Attorney General Pollard
Discusses Constitution of
The State.

ONLY LITERACY TEST

Action of Court Might Tend to Re-
store Negro Domination in Some
of the Southern States.

Richmond, June 22.—Attorney Gen-
eral John Garland Pollard says that
the probability of Virginia being af-
fected by the decision of the Supreme
Court adverse to the "grandfather
clause" is remote. It is a most far-
reaching decision, he states, and may
affect some of the Southern States
most seriously—in fact, it might go
so far as to restore negro domina-
tion.

This State has no "grandfather
clause," imposing at present only a
literacy test. In the general regis-
tration following the adoption of
the new constitution in 1902 certain
special provisions were made as to
eligibility under that registration.

Mr. Pollard was a member of the
constitutional convention and was
secretary of the Democratic caucus of
that body which debated the suf-
frage clauses for weeks behind closed
doors.

"It appears that we have had a
very narrow escape," said Mr. Pol-
lard last night. "Not even reporters
were admitted to the caucus when the
suffrage clauses were being debated.
There was a strong element in favor
of a 'grandfather clause,' which had
been adopted by some States. There
was also an element favoring an 'un-
derstanding clause,' and some op-
posed both. The effort was to elimi-
nate the negro from control and at
the same time disfranchise as few as
possible white men. The convention
finally adopted both a temporary un-
derstanding clause and a temporary
grandfather clause, but both passed
out with the general registration,
and we have now only a literacy test.
Any man, white or colored, who can
write put his application for him-
self can vote." The real safeguard
against negro domination is the pol-
tax provision."

Mr. Pollard recalled the effort of
John S. Wise as counsel for certain
negroes to test the Virginia Consti-
tution in the courts which was never
tried on its merits and finally drop-
ped.

The Constitutional Convention of
1902 wiped the slate clean, ordered a
new general registration of all voters
and provided the manner of registra-
tion thereafter. In the general reg-
istration of 1902 it was provided that
one who had the qualifications of
age and residence might register; if
he had served in the army or navy
of the United States, the Confederate
States or of any State, the son of any
such person; any person owning
property on which taxes amounting
to \$1 or more had been paid for or
a person able to read the Constitu-
tion or to give a reasonable explana-
tion when read to him.

DRUG VICTIMS CROWD JAIL.

Toledo, Ohio, June 22.—Drug vic-
tims have become so numerous here
within the last few weeks that of-
ficials headed by United States Re-
venue Collector Frank B. Niles, of the
Toledo district, are seeking to estab-
lish a farm near the city where the
victims can be segregated for treat-
ment.

At present the county and city
jails are crowded with drug addicts,
following a crusade by State Govern-
ment and local officials. Many of the
victims are young men and women.

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FOSS COMMENDS SLATON

Declares People of the Country Will
Honor Him for Courage.

Boston, Mass., June 22.—Former
Governor Eugene N. Foss, who head-
ed the Massachusetts delegation to
Atlanta to plead with Governor Slaton
for clemency for Leo M. Frank, said
last night:

"I have just sent a telegram to
Governor Slaton which reads: 'Kind-
ly accept my warmest congratula-
tions for your courageous stand in
commuting the sentence of Leo M.
Frank to life imprisonment. The
people of the country will honor you
for it.'"

"That telegram expresses my sen-
timents. Governor Slaton is to be
commended for his humane and
fearless stand in this case. It took
courage, but he faced his duty
bravely. He deserves credit from
the citizens of the whole country.
Governor Slaton's stand shows what
I always believed, that the young
man did not have a fair trial. I
think Frank will now be vindicated.
Time will establish his innocence.
"Frank was employed in our fac-
tory at Jamaica Plain for six
months. He came fresh from Cor-
nell and had an estimable record.
He left voluntarily. We were sorry
to lose him. I personally visited him
in his cell at Atlanta, where he told
me he was innocent."

EDISON'S LIGHT TERRIBLE

Scared Neighborhood So They Called
Police to Investigate.

West Orange, N. J. June 22.—Per-
sons living in the valley section east
of Llewellyn Park telephoned police
that a terrible light was shooting out
of the park. An investigating police-
man found Thomas A. Edison and his
family experimenting with a new 3,
000,000-candlepower searchlight cap-
able of throwing a ray several miles.
It is the most powerful of portable
searchlights, it is very small and the
power is fed by storage batteries.

In the height of the fire at the Ed-
ison plant last winter the electric
lights went out when the feed wires
were attacked by the flames. Edison
then conceived the idea of his new
portable searchlight, and two days
after the blaze had designed a work-
ing model.

The lamp will be very useful in
mine rescue work, at fires, on ships,
aeroplanes and locomotives. It can
be so regulated as to produce light in
any volume desired.

WOULD PAY STATE DEBT.

Offers to Pay All Obligations if State
Will Desert Prohibition
Principles.

Bluefield, W. Va., June 22.—Sam
G. Walkery, former owner of a large
saloon in this section and considered
one of Southern West Virginia's
wealthiest men, has made the pub-
lic announcement to the press that he
was willing to assume the payment
of the entire "Virginia Debt" of more
than twelve million dollars, provided
he was given the exclusive liquor-
selling rights in the State of West
Virginia. He agrees to give a bond
of four million dollars and agrees to
pay the entire debt, interest and all,
in ten years, for the privilege of sell-
ing liquor in this State for the pe-
riod of ten years.

WOMAN FALLS IN WELL.

Rescued Almost Unhurt by Son,
Who Slides Down Chain.

Rockville, Md., June 22.—To be
precipitated into a well 52 feet deep,
at the bottom of which was eight
feet of water, and to be rescued
without injury except several slight
bruises, was the experience of Mrs.
Andrew Jackson Mobley, of Quince
Orchard, this county, Saturday after-
noon.

Mrs. Mobley, accompanied by her
little boy, went to the well to draw
a bucket of water, and the platform
gave way with her. The boy ran for
help and another son rushed to the
rescue. When Mrs. Mobley's head
appeared above the water he called
to her to hold tight to the bucket
chain, which she did, and one son
then slid down the chain until a rope
could be lowered into the well.

The son secured the rope about his
mother's body and she was raised to
the surface.

GERMANS MAKE RAPID ADVANCES

Sudden March Toward Lem-
berg Astonishes Military
Men.

CZAR IS ON LAST LINE

Final Defense of Beleagued City
Made at Distance of Nine Miles—
Situation is Desperate.

Berlin, June 22.—The rapidity of
the Austro-German successes excites
astonishment here. It was believed
that the Russians would be able to
check the advance for some days on
the Grodek line, hence the bulletin
issued recorded results far exceed-
ing the expectation of the most op-
timistic observers.

Special dispatches from the front
describe the Russian retreat eastward
from Grodek and the Russian resis-
tance from the Tanew River, to the
mouth of the Wereszyca. Air scouts
report that the Russians have fallen
back upon their last line of defenses
protecting Lemberg, which is nine
miles west of the city limits.

The situation at Lemberg is evi-
dently precarious, as General von Mack-
ensen has seized the railway between
Lemberg and Rawa Ruska, which is
the main line of travel northward.
This, it is considered, gives the Rus-
sians the alternative of preparing for
speedy evacuation or of trying to hold
the city, with the risk of being en-
veloped by von Mackensen's army sweep-
ing around southeastward and form-
ing a junction with General Linsing-
en's forces.

Grand Duke Nicholas, the Russian
commander-in-chief, apparently has
begun to realize the threatening dan-
gers, for he has ordered the withdrawal
of all Russian forces from the south
bank of the Dniester. Military op-
inion here is that he cannot extricate
his huge armies without heavy
losses in men and material.

The military expert of the The Lok-
al Anzieger declares that the victory
in Galicia is complete and expresses
the opinion that there is little pros-
pect of the Russian troops west of
Lemberg longer offering serious resis-
tance.

Emperor William, it is officially an-
nounced by the German War Depart-
ment, was present at the battle of
Beskid for possession of the Grodek
line. These Russian positions are
to the west of Lemberg, the Galician
capital.

KNIGHTS OF MACCABEES.

Tent No. 2, of the Knights of Macca-
bees held an important meeting last
night at which time eleven candi-
dates received the degrees of the or-
der. Two of the national officers
from Washington were present at
the ceremony. Following the meet-
ing in the lodge room of Potomac
Lodge of Odd Fellows refreshments
were served.



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Suit Cases made of canvas and leatherette each 98c; \$1.50; \$2.25
\$2.50; \$2.98.

Suit Cases Genuine Cowhide each \$5.00; \$6.00; \$8.00; \$10; \$12.

Matting Suit Cases light and durable each 98c \$1.50; \$2.25; \$2.50.

Traveling bags made of real leather, \$5; \$6; \$8; \$10; \$12; \$14.

Imitation leather hand satchels each 98c \$1.50; \$2; \$2.50; \$2.98.

Matting hand satchels each 29c; 39c; 49c; 59c.

Strong trunk straps each 25c; 50c; 75c; \$1.00.

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ANNEXED TERRITORY

City Council at Meeting Tonight Will
Consider Measures for New
District.

City Council will hold its regular semi-monthly meeting tonight when a number of matters connected with improvements in the new territory will be acted upon. Chief of these will be consideration of an appropriation of \$50,000 which is to be used to improve four of the principal thoroughfares running through the new territory. The ordinance imposing licenses for the fiscal year commencing June 1st, and the annual appropriation bill, both of which have been passed by the lower board will come up for consideration in the Board of Aldermen.

PROPOSED NEW HOSPITAL.

Joint Meeting of Committees on Site And Plans Will be Held To-morrow Night.

A joint meeting of the committees on site and plans of the Alexandria Hospital will be held tomorrow night at 8 o'clock in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce at which time a conference will be had with the architect of the new building. The plans will be gone over in detail so that they can be submitted to the board of trustees for their final approval before proposals for bids are asked on the new structure.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR.

Old Dominion Commandery Will Rehearse for Inspection.

A rehearsal in formation for inspection will be held by Old Dominion Commandery, No. 11, Knights Templar on Friday night to prepare for the inspection of the commandery together with those of Fredericksburg, The Plains and Fairfax, which will take place on next Monday night.

DEATH OF MRS. NEWMAN.

Mrs. Esther Bayliss Newman, 65 years old, wife of Peter O. Newman, died at 8:30 o'clock this morning at her residence, 511 north Patrick street. She is survived by her husband and two children, Miss Susie Newman and Sires Newman. Arrangements for the funeral have not been completed.

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ray 12:05 Noon.

Returning Special Train will
leave Luray Station 6:00 P.
M., Arriving Alexandria
9:40 P. M.

AIR FLIGHT IS DELAYED

Richardson Hydro-aeroplane Will Not
Attempt to Fly Until Next
Week.

No attempt to actually fly the Richardson hydro-aeroplane will be tried this week although experimental runs will be made up and down the river and the surface of the water may be left for a few feet in jumps which the big machine will make when it is driven at full force by its powerful engines. A. S. Richardson said today that the operation of his machine, presenting so many novel features in air-ship construction, required a considerable number of experiments before a sustained flight was attempted. The action of the lifting planes, the sustaining planes and the rudders all had to be carefully studied out as there was no available data upon which to work.

A second trial was made of the craft yesterday afternoon, and it performed more smoothly than in the morning's run. The engines worked more evenly and the plane skimmed along the surface of the water at a speed of thirty miles an hour. During the afternoon the key pin which holds the rear propeller to the shaft was sheared off, and it was necessary to tow the ship into its berth in order that a new pin could be fitted.

The machine will be taken out again late this afternoon for another trial. In yesterday's preliminary test the machine and its six operators weighed approximately 3,000 pounds.

POLICE COURT NOTES.

Five Negroes Fined by Police Justice
Caton This Morning.

Five cases came before Police Justice Harry B. Caton this morning. Two negro residents of notorious "chicken alley," Mamie Carter and Martha Myers, engaged in a hair pulling contest yesterday and each were assessed \$5.

Martha Vass, another negress, was charged with disorderly conduct, but she failed to appear and forfeited \$5.

Henry Clowes was drunk in the street, and showed a disposition to become ugly, and was fined \$5.

For some time the police have had complaints regarding the disorderly conduct in a house on north Royal street adjoining "chicken alley" occupied by Frances Bryant and George Shirley. The two were arrested yesterday and were fined \$5 each.

EXCURSION TO LURAY.

Many Alexandrians Expect to Take
the Trip Next Sunday.

An unusual opportunity to visit the world famed Luray caverns at Luray, Va., is offered by the Southern Railway for next Sunday. A special through train will leave Alexandria at 8:27 a. m. arriving at Luray at 12:05 noon. The trip is made through the historic battlefield section of Virginia and the famous Shenandoah Valley. Returning the special will leave at 6 o'clock, arriving at Alexandria at 9:40 p. m. This fare from Alexandria to Luray and return on this train will be \$2.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People
of Alexandria—Happenings
in Society.

Master Samuel Norcross is ill at his home in Queen street.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard W. Smith have moved to Broad Run for the summer.

Misses Lila and Kitty Barrett left today for an automobile trip to Stafford County.

Mr. William Demaine has returned from a week-end visit spent with his brother-in-law, A. H. Compton, near Wellington.

Mr. Titus F. Ellis, proprietor of the Mt. Vernon Cafe, who has been quite ill at his home at Mt. Vernon, for the past ten days, is out again.

Mrs. Howard Leslie Holt, of Washington, and pupils will exhibit some of the latest dances at the ball to be given by Alexandria Lodge of Elks tonight. The dancing will commence at 9 o'clock and will stop at 1 a. m. A special train will leave for Washington at 1:10 a. m. to accommodate the visitors from that city.

A number of Alexandria parties are being made up for trips to the Panama-Pacific International Exposition. Mrs. Raymond Blumenfeld and daughter, Miss Rose Blumenfeld, and Master Adrian Katz will accompany their cousin, William Kaufmann, to San Francisco tomorrow. A party of seven will leave with the Delta tours on Saturday. This party will be composed of Miss Mary E. Carlin, Miss Martha Fulton, Miss Constance Boush, Miss Collins Jones, Miss Bertha Keene, Mrs. Harry D. Kirk and Nevell S. Greenaway. Alexandria Lodge of Elks is preparing to send representatives to Los Angeles to attend the convention to be held in July. The official representatives are George T. Caton, and James W. Bales.

LOCAL BREVITIES

A meeting of Virginia Copsitory, No. 2, Scottish Rite Masons, will be held in Masonic Temple on Friday at 7:30 o'clock.

A lawn party will be given tonight at the corner of Prince and Patrick streets, by the Grace Church Sunday School for the benefit of Parish Hall fund.

An ice cream festival will be given Thursday evening in the Young People's Building for the benefit of the Children's Home. Admission tickets including refreshments.

There was no meeting of the Board of Police Commissioners last night, as had been announced. There will be regular meeting tomorrow night, the third Wednesday in the month.

William Thorpe, a well known resident of Fairfax county, who died at his home near Springfield on Sunday, was buried this afternoon from Beulah Baptist Church, Franconia. He is survived by a widow and several children.

Two suits for divorce were filed in the Corporation Court today. Laura M. Bradford sues her husband, Melville L. Bradford, for a divorce on the ground of desertion and a suit on the same grounds was filed by Hiram E. Ross against his wife, Ida A. Ross.

MASONIC GAME FRIDAY.

Considerable interest is being shown in the baseball game to be played on Friday between teams from Alexandria-Washington and Andrew Jackson Lodges of Masons for the benefit of the Ann Lee Memorial Home for the Aged. The game will commence at 4 o'clock on the Cardinal grounds on upper King street. "Nick" Altrock, of the Washington Americans, will be the umpire and Walter Johnson, Henry and Moehler of the Washington team have promised to be present. The line-up will be announced tomorrow.

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FRANK WILL NOT HANG.

As was stated yesterday in the Gazette, Leo M. Frank convicted of murdering Mary Phagan, the pretty fourteen-year-old girl in the Atlanta pencil factory in 1913, has escaped the gallows, Governor Slaton having commuted the sentence to life imprisonment. Frank is now attired in prison garb and at work in a cotton field.

Governor Slaton, whose term of office, expires this week, is the target of adverse criticism, and a regiment of soldiers was called out last night to protect him from mob violence. Public sentiment is at fever heat, and there is no telling what may result.

The Governor is making every effort to calm the excited populace, but it will take some time to force back the tide of hostility of those who had demanded Frank's blood.

Governor Slaton, in announcing his decision to commute Frank's sentence, made a brief statement in which he said:

"All that I ask is that the people of Georgia read my statement of the reasons why I commuted the death sentence to life imprisonment before they pass judgment. Feeling as I do about this case, I would be a murderer if I allowed this man to hang. It means that I must live in obscurity the rest of my days, but I would rather be plowing in a field than to feel for the rest of my life that I had that man's blood on my hands. The mob can come and tear me to pieces, but I will know that I have done what should be done to follow the right and uphold the honor of Georgia and the office I hold. I couldn't hang any man when there was a doubt as to his guilt. I could not sit like Pontius Pilate and turn Frank over to be executed."

According to the laws of Georgia, the Governor is vested with the power to review all cases where persons are convicted of crime, and if, in his judgment, mistakes have been made, to set aside verdict by pardoning the condemned or mitigating their punishment. This is the law in all States, and is a safeguard against judicial murders, which are liable to occur even in the best regulated communities. Governor Slaton has simply exercised a prerogative given him by the constitution of his state. He has been compelled to pass through a trying ordeal and has made a close study of this famous case. He has been placed by his own constituents as a buffer between death for the best reasons, and had he not acted conscientiously and according to his own convictions, as we believe he has, he would truly have been as Pontius Pilate when the latter allowed himself to be swayed by a fierce mob.

The punishment meted out to Frank by the Governor is severe, especially to a member of a commercial race, which places much value upon freedom. Possessed of a business education and but a short distance within the portals of manhood, he will sorely miss the opportunities afforded others of his race to reap the fruits of his genius.

Frank's forefathers lived centuries as abject slaves under cruel taskmasters in the land of the Pharaohs, and this young Hebrew must spend the remainder of his life attired in prison garb laboring in cotton fields, environed by guards with loaded rifles and in as much in dread of the scourge as were the chosen people in Mizraim in the days of Moses.

CHARLES II. AND WILSON.

In 1617 the European powers found themselves exhausted by war and desirous of peace. England, the only neutral, became, of course, the sole arbiter of the negotiations which ensued at Nimeguen. All the belligerent parties invoked her mediation. Charles II., however, felt himself exceedingly embarrassed by his secret connections with Louis XIV., which made him desire to prescribe conditions favorable to that monarch;

while, on the other hand, he feared the people of England, if he should fail to favor the nations allied and combined against France.

The Parliament of England was determined that, in case Louis XIV. did not make peace with the allies, Charles II. should join them to make war on France.

A French fabulist of that day wrote the following:

The English Charles the secret knows And makes the most of his repose. And more than this he knows the way To share the fight he only sees today. Yet, could he but this quarrel quell, What incense clouds would grateful swell!

What deed more worthy of his fame? O happy people in your sturdy hearts! Say, when shall Peace pack up these bloody darts, And send us all, like you, to softer arts.

While conditions in the world at present are suggestive of the days of Charles II., President Wilson is in a better position than was the English monarch, to act an impartial part in any future peace propositions which may be made looking to the termination of this unfortunate war. He is, of course, perfectly familiar with what is referred to above, and being a close student of history, as well as international law, is using his great knowledge with a skillful hand; hence we must not rock the boat.

History is ever reproducing itself. The United States is at present the only great nation upon the globe which is at peace, and at the close of this fearful conflict the warring countries will naturally look to America as the mediator. President Wilson may be the pacificator at that time. But he is at the head of a polyglot country. Many here sympathize with Germany in her battle for existence, and but few would rejoice in seeing that great empire completely wrecked. At the same time another large percentage would flinch at seeing anything detrimental to the allies championed by the United States. Hence the strictest neutrality is necessary for America in this terrible struggle, if she is destined to play the part of arbiter. Our President will continue on the razor edge and not, like Charles II., allow, either belligerent to have any claim upon him.

PASSING OF NEGRO MINISTRELS.

Brander Matthews in Scribner's Magazine contributes an interesting article on the passing of negro minstrelsy, which at one time had such a hold upon the United States where it was indigenous. Negro minstrelsy was the conception of E. F. Dixey in the early fifties, and from that time up to about a quarter of a century ago it was one of the most popular of all amusements in this country. Troupes traveled from city to city, where they were greatly patronized, while in the larger cities nightly performances were given. The Bryant brothers, Matt Peel, Buckley brothers, the Dixies, Dan Emmett, the Sweeney brothers, and others are remembered by many now living.

Attempts were made to transplant negro minstrelsy into other countries, but the profession proved a sickly exotic and would never thrive save in the United States, and especially in the southern section.

The origin of "Dixie," has often been published. Dan Emmett, who was a violinist in a minstrel-troupe in years anterior to the civil war, was watching negroes load cotton on a ship at Mobile. They were singing an ode in which there was little sense, but Emmett's musical ear caught music in the song. He wrote "Dixie," and today its notes will entrance a southern audience as no other tune.

Joe Sweeney, one of the best delineators of the negro character, was well-known to many Alexandrians, especially to those who served in the Confederate army. Sweeney was down south during the war, and he often gave specimens of his skill as a banjo-picker during camp life.

But negro minstrelsy is now virtually a thing of the past. The semi-circle of white men attired in dress suits with their faces smeared with burnt cork, an interlocutor in the center and the juggler of the tambourine and the rattler of bones on each end, are memories of the past. Moving pictures and other forms of amusement of the present age are singing the funeral dirge of the negro delineator.

POPE BENEDICT'S NEUTRALITY.

A correspondent of the Paris Liberte made a futile attempt a day or two ago to get Pope Benedict to commit himself on the side of the Allies or Germany. The masterly manner in which he answered the queries put to him shows that the pontiff is the right man in the right

place. He had a logical answer for every reference to alleged cruelties by Germans, and in each case referred to countercharges which the correspondent was unable to refute. When asked for an opinion on the alleged violation of the neutrality of Belgium, he dismissed the matter by saying that occurred during the pontificate of Pius X.

Individuals as well as sovereigns would do well to act upon the scriptural injunction, "Be swift to hear, but slow to speak." Most of the opinions expressed in this world are of the horseback variety and are natural to much revision.

NEWS OF THE DAY

Six persons were drowned in waters near New York on Sunday, four being victims of boating accidents.

Francis M. Edgell, of Huntington, W. Va., obtained a divorce from his wife, whom he accused of chewing tobacco in bed.

Higher business influences in Germany continue to be exerted in favor of a peaceful settlement with the United States.

Herr Mueller, convicted German spy, who was arrested with Anton Keupferle, must die. His appeal was dismissed.

It is reported that the Germans are rushing to completion several new battleships armed with guns up to 17 inches.

The Ninety-first German Infantry was entirely exterminated by Russian sabres in the fighting around Lubaczow in Northern Galicia.

Italy, it is said, will soon be facing a meat famine. The government is said to be buying up all the native cattle in the country.

Announcement has been made in Paris that the French postal service is handling mail in ninety towns and villages in Alsace, all of which now bear the names they had forty-five years ago.

Emperor William, who is personally directing operations in Galicia, has planned to ride into Lemberg at the head of the Austro-German troops if the Teutonic allies are successful in taking Lemberg from the Russians.

With \$800 in cash in a purse by his side, George Louk, of Glad, W. Va., was found dead in his cabin. He had hanged himself with a heavy piece of lace leather. Louk was 58 years old and was the last of a large family, all of whom have met tragic deaths.

A dispatch from Bloemfontein, South Africa, says Gen. Christian De Wet, who was leader of the recent South African uprising, has been found guilty on eight counts of the indictment charging him with treason. It is expected that he will be executed.

The right of a telephone company to discontinue the service of one of its subscribers for failure to pay for service rendered in the past was upheld yesterday by the Supreme Court in an opinion rendered by Justice Van Devanter in the "Arkansas telephone case."

Henry Siegel, former owner of department stores and banker of New York, convicted last November of a misdemeanor and sentenced to 10 months' imprisonment and to pay a fine of \$1,000 unless he made a restitution to his creditors has entered the Monroe County penitentiary to begin his sentence.

Mrs. Sarah Besley, 77 years old, of McLean, Va., and Daniel E. Hornbeck, 70 years old, of Washington, were knocked down and run over yesterday at the corner of Seventeenth and E streets northwest by an automobile owned and operated by Joseph K. Behrend, connected with the Corcoran Gallery of Art.

Advices reaching Tokio from Vladivostok are that munitions of war intended for the use of Russia's armies at the front are arriving at that seaport in great quantities. So heavy are the shipments that facilities to forward them by rail through Siberia are lacking. It is an endeavor to overcome this that the Russian authorities have placed rush orders for cars and locomotives in the United States.

The Anchor liner-Cameronia, which reached Liverpool late Sunday from New York reports that she was attacked during the voyage by a submarine, which the captain believes he rammed and sank. The Cameronia was under a full head of steam when the submarine was seen dead ahead

at a point so close that it was out of the question to attempt to elude her. The captain steered to ram the submarine, which immediately submerged, but scarcely in time to avoid being struck. Nothing more was seen of the vessel, which is believed to have been sent to the bottom.

The Government yesterday lost its suit in the Supreme Court to forfeit the unsold portion of the Oregon and California Railroad land grant, amounting to some 2,300,000 acres and valued at more than \$80,000,000. The railroad company was enjoined, however, from future sales in violation of the conditions of the grant until Congress has reasonable time to act. Justice McKenna, for the court, held the Government's position in claiming the conditions to the grant about sale were conditions for which a violation worked a forfeiture was untenable. The court held the conditions were in the nature of "enforceable covenants." He said Congress would have six months for action in the case.

Seventeen hundred convicts in the penitentiary at Joliet, Ill., at a signal yesterday afternoon made a rush, in an effort to drag "Chicken Joe" Campbell, negro convict, suspected of the murder of Mrs. Edmund Allen, wife of the State prison warden, from his cell and lynch him. The move was made as the convicts were being marched out of the prison dining hall. The guards used their clubs freely and battered several heads before the mob was quieted. Mrs. Allen, who was Miss Odette Mazie Bordeaux, a stage beauty and prima donna of one of the first New York "Merry Widow" companies, was an exponent of the honor system in the prison, and the convicts held her in high regard.

Delegations of the Knights of Columbus went to Richmond from many Virginia cities to attend ceremonial sessions held at the home of Richmond Council, No. 395, beginning with the conferring of degrees today.

Andy Hastetter, sixty-eight years old, was brought to Memorial Hospital in Richmond yesterday suffering from serious if not fatal injuries received at his home in College Town, when he fell into an open fire while having a fit.

While relatives at Linville, Rockingham County, mourning over the supposed death of Charles Alder, from an accident in Washington, were at the Southern Railway Station awaiting the arrival of his body from Washington a telegram signed by the reported dead man, said: "I am alive and well."

Probably what is the largest shipment of potatoes from the section of which Norfolk is the center in one day was made last Saturday when about 100,000 barrels were sent to the various markets. The prices for the season so far have been poor. Shipments have sold this season as low as \$1 and as high as \$5, but the average price has been a mark between the two.

Squire Dawson imposed a fine of fifty dollars on John Patillo a negro preacher upon the charge of disturbing public worship at Scott Zion Church about five miles from Lynchburg in Amherst County. Patillo had been put out of the church, where he was formerly engaged as preacher but Sunday he appeared at the church and while the service was in progress, he announced that he came there to break up the meeting.

The presence of two unidentified men in the Richmond Federal Reserve Bank early yesterday, where \$7,636,000 was on deposit, led to the suspicion that an attempt was being made to rob the bank. After a watchman, who saw the men approaching the vault, fired on the two men, the police were called out, but the men escaped. The police surrounded the bank building and for a time believed they had the suspected robbers cornered on the roof, but when they could not be found it was surmised they had escaped over the roofs of adjoining buildings.

When a committee from the Congressional Union called on Representative E. E. Holland, of Norfolk, he did not promise, as they wished, to give his support to the Susan B. Anthony amendment to the Federal Constitution granting suffrage to women, but he gave them some advice that accorded exactly with their own ideas. "You Virginia women," he said, "have got to use the tactics of the prohibitionists. Make suffrage the greatest political issue in the State elections. Put pressure on your Legislature and on your representatives in Congress

and you will win. You can't be too quiet about a demand like this. You have got to make a noise, and such a big noise and such a constant noise that every Virginia politician knows what you want and finds it necessary to give it to you."

COURT OF APPEALS.

Wytheville, Va. June 22.—Proceedings in the Supreme Court of Appeals yesterday were as follows: Virginia Iron, Coal and Coke Company vs. Ashbury administrator, argued by J. F. Bollitt and W. J. Henson for plaintiff in error and W. H. Worth for defendant in error and submitted. Same vs. Shanberry, argued by B. C. Jackson for plaintiff in error and W. H. Worth for defendant in error and continued until tomorrow morning.

Next cases to be called: Dixon Livery Company vs. Bond; Osborne vs. Darby Coal Mining Company; Virginia Iron Coal and Coke Company vs. Hughes, administrator; Huestel Coal and Coke Company vs. Lawrence administrators; Virginia Railway Company vs. Bell.

TRY TO FORCE DEBT ISSUE.

Major Holmes Conrad to Ask Receiver for West Virginia.

Winchester, June 22.—Maj. Holmes Conrad, of this city, who was the first attorney to get the Virginia debt case before the United States Supreme Court nearly thirty years ago, announces that he intends to file a formal motion before the court, asking that a receiver be appointed to enforce the judgment of the court without undue delay.

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FRANCIS JOSEPH DEFIANT

Deaf to Appeals to Save Hungary
From Roumanian Invasion

Paris, June 21.—The news reaches Paris from Vienna that Emperor Francis Joseph again is being implored by Count Andrassy and German diplomats, to give up territory to the threatening neutrals without making them fight for it.

The aged Emperor is backed by the military party after his refusal to pacify the Italian claims and they are now stiffening his back to insist appeals to give Bukovina to Roumania and accord home rule to Transylvania.

Count Andrassy called at the Schoenburn Castle last week, and it is said, fell upon his knees and implored the Emperor to give up Bukovina to save Hungary from a Roumanian invasion.

Emperor Francis Joseph burst into a rage and cried:

"No one shall coerce me to dismember my empire without a blow. I defied Italy and I will defy Roumania, if necessary."

"Let events take their course. Let the fortune of arms decide this and every other question affecting Austria's honor. No one shall say that Francis Joseph ever cravenly yielded to the rapacity of covetous neighbors in Austria's hour of trial."

NEGRO KILLED BY ANOTHER

Skull Crushed With Stone After Trivial Quarrel

Rockville, Md., June 21.—Jack Jackson, colored, 40 years old, who lived at Tobytown, a negro settlement near Travilah, was instantly killed about 2 o'clock yesterday morning, when Lawrence Smith, also colored, 37 years old, of Travilah, struck him on the back of the head with a large stone, crushing his skull. Immediately afterward Smith came to Rockville and gave himself up and is in jail here.

Smith and Jackson, it appears, quarreled over a trivial matter, Jackson displaying a revolver and making threats. Twenty minutes later Smith, who had gone to a house some distance away, returned to where Jackson and several others stood talking in the road, and, running up behind Jackson, struck him with the stone.

Smith says Jackson not only threatened him but snapped his revolver several times, and at the time he was struck Jackson held the revolver in his hand.

Jackson came to this country from Virginia several months ago. Smith has long been employed on the farm of Hattan Waters, near Travilah, where his wife and children live.

TO BREAK UP THUGGERY

Cleveland Chamber of Commerce Offers \$1,000 Reward

Cleveland, June 21.—With the offer of \$1,000 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of persons who assaulted Charles Hibbs, a plumber, January 28 last, the Cleveland Chamber of Commerce today launched a crusade to break up thuggery in connection with labor disputes.

This action followed an exhaustive study of conditions by a special chamber committee.

Its reports find that Cleveland is getting a reputation as an "unsafe place for union or nonunion men to work."

Organized labor must be freed from the calumny thrust upon it by those who, for selfish motives, commit offenses in its name.

MOTOR CARS FOR MAIL

Modern Vehicles Will be Used in Rural Sections.

Washington, June 21.—The installation of modern motor vehicles in the transportation of rural mail will begin on a large scale in many parts of the United States on August 2, according to an official statement of the post office department. From that time 105 machines carrying mail will traverse more than 5,500 miles of rural post routes daily, except Sunday, and this service is to be extended as rapidly as possible.

In the revision of the rural service and the inauguration of motors, there has been reduction in operating expenses from April to June 19, of \$744,300. This sum has been utilized to establish 732 new routes to serve 85,472 additional families, or, approximately 427,360 additional persons.

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RICH ALMOST OVER NIGHT

Powder Plant at City Point, Va., Makes Old Farmer Nabob.

Du Pont City, Va., June 22.—G. H. Buren, an old farmer of this place, suddenly found himself last week with a bankroll of \$15,000, an additional income of more than \$50 a month, besides 30 acres of level land in the heart of a town of 17,000 persons.

For 37 years Buren had eked out a living on a farm of 114 acres near City Point, Va. He was there at the time of the Civil war, and as a boy received a stray bullet from the Federals.

The big Du Pont powder plant located a quarter of a mile from his farm benefited him, as two of the Buren boys went to work in the construction department at \$5 a day.

The plant units gradually went up and the army of men at work was increased. A month ago a stranger dropped in seeking more land. He tempted Buren with an offer of \$200 an acre for 54 acres of the tract, and this bargain also was closed. Today this tract is selling lot subdivisions at the rate of from \$3,000 to \$5,000 an acre. Streets, sidewalks, and sewers are being put in and a modern city is springing up.

Around Buren's home other landowners sold tracts. These were laid out in city divisions, and within the last week more than \$500,000 has changed hands in realty sales. Buren's 30 acres, with the farmhouse in the centre, now stands in the heart of the city building activity.

Last Wednesday he was offered \$1,000 an acre spot cash for the 30 acres. The offer did not move him. The next day the offer was increased to \$1,500 an acre, but Buren clung to his land.

"Why should I sell?" said the old man. "If the land is good enough for others, it is good enough for me for a while. I always wanted to live in a city anyhow, and here I am right in the midst of one without having to move."

"I am renting tent space on the farm and making \$100 a month out of that, with space going every day. My two boys are working at the plant and I am renting my teams out for \$15 a day. I am making more money than I ever saw in all my life, so why should I be in a hurry to make more? Maybe when things get a little too crowded around me I will sell everything but the house."

Buren has a husky family of five or six children, one of whom has a farm of 400 acres a mile and a half from the new community around the old man's farm. The stir of activity has reached out to this tract, and father and son are likely to be the Astors of the new Southern city.

IN THE CORPORATION COURT OF THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA VIRGINIA.

Hiram E. Ross, complainant.

vs. IN CHANCERY

Ida A. Ross, defendant.

Upon written application of the complainant, duly made and filed, together with an affidavit made by the complainant of the defendant's non-residence, the said affidavit stating the last known address of the said defendant as No. 2240 Mount View Place, Anacostia, D. C. and it appearing from the Sergeant's return that the said defendant cannot be found within his bailiwick, nor within the jurisdiction of the State of Virginia, the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, does on this 22nd day of June, A.D., 1915, enter the following order of publication against the defendant.

The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant an absolute divorce from the defendant, on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit, and for general relief.

It is ordered that the defendant appear within fifteen days after due publication hereof and do what is necessary to protect her interests in this suit; that a copy of this order of publication be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper printed and published in the City of Alexandria, Virginia; that a copy of said order of publication be posted at the front door of the Court House of the said City on or before the next succeeding rule day after the order is entered, and that a copy of the same be mailed to the last known address of the defendant, at 2240 Mount View Pl., Anacostia, D. C., by the Clerk by registered mail.

A Copy Teste: Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk

W. A. Coombe and Leo P. Harlow p.p.

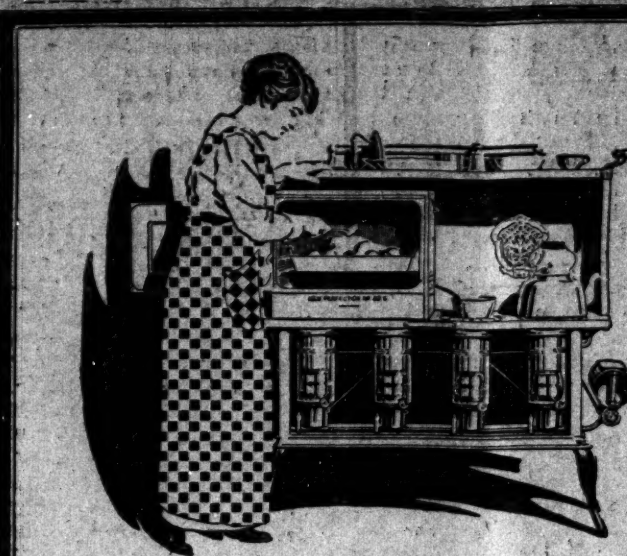
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